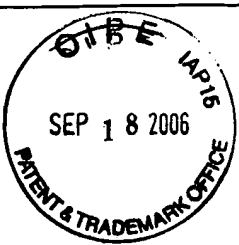
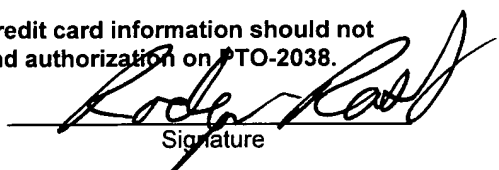


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		DOCKET NUMBER: USLED_01
	In re Application of: Rast, Rodger	
	APPLICATION NUMBER: 09/924,973	Filed: August 7, 2001
	For: A SYSTEM AND METHOD OF DRIVING AN ARRAY OF OPTICAL ELEMENTS	
	Group: 2673	Examiner: Mingistu, A.
<p>This is a request under provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows: (check desired time period)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ <u>1020</u></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half and the resulting fee is: \$ <u>510</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number _____.</p> <p>I am the: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant/Inventor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Assignee of record of the entire interest. see 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Attorney or Agent of record.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Attorney or Agent of record under 37 CFR 1.34(a) Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <p><u>September 15, 2006</u> Date</p> <p> Signature</p> <p><u>Rodger H. Rast</u> Typed or printed name</p> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted</p>		

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